

Memorandum **CONFIDENTIAL**

TO : Director of Training

DATE: 20 December 1965

FROM : Chief, School of International Communism

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report No. 30
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I. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

II. OTHERS

A. DDTR mentioned at Friday's Staff meeting a report on OTR's external activities during 1965 which had been prepared by [redacted]

You might be interested in the break-down of SIC's contribution to the total. We, of course, have been attempting to hold the external effort to about what it was during 1964--about 175 presentations. Through last week '65's total was 182. The average time for each session is two hours. The principal requestors are FSI, DIS, Fort Holabird, and the [redacted]

Five staff members each made 30 or more presentations-- the maximum for a single instructor being 40. In academic terms this represents approximately one and one-half semester courses for each of the five instructors involved. This effort, while obviously time-consuming, is not particularly burdensome (a potential problem which Col. White has frequently mentioned), and I feel that it continues to be a useful effort--both in terms of imparting information to those who need it and in terms of Agency relationships.

B. [redacted] attended a National War College presentation on "The Situation in Eastern Europe" by MIT's William Griffith, and although once again it added little to his published materials it's useful to have a line on these people as potential guest speakers. [redacted] felt that Griffith probably would not be particularly stimulating to an Agency audience. We are going to attempt to audit more of the relevant presentations in the Washington area during 1966.

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